### REPORT

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SITTINGS IN THE CHAPEL may be obtained on application to the Secretary

THE MUSIC HALL OF THE ASYLUM—capable of seating 400-may be engaged for Rehearsals, Concerts, Lectures, &c., at moderate charge. For particulars apply to the Secretary.

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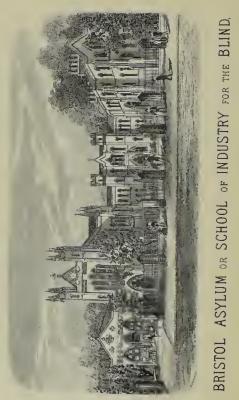
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Strangers are admitted to see the Asylum on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and FRIDAYS from 10 to 12 o'Clock in the Morning, and 2 to 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon.

Boxes are provided for receiving Contributions to be distributed as rewards to the Pupils; also a Book for entering any Donation or Annual Subscription which Visitors may be disposed to give to the Institution.

QUARTERLY CONCERTS are given by the Pupils in the MUSIC ROOM in the Months of March, June, September, and December, at 8 o'Clock p.m., or as advertised. Admission free.

### Bristol Asylum or School of Industry for the Blind

### INSTITUTED 1793—INCORPORATED 1832.

President.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE EARL OF DUCLE.

Vice-Presidents.

WILLIAM H. HARFORD.

Col. SAVILE.

Treasurer.

J. CHETWOOD AIKEN. General Committee.

ALMOND, JOSEPH. \*BAINES Major. BATTEN, H. CAREY. \*BOYLE, MONTGOMERIE. \*BUTLIN, CHAS.

COOPER, PHILIP W. D. \*DAVIDSON, General A.

DAUNT, General. GODWIN, J. COLTHURST. INSKIP, JAMES. LOCKLEY, J. H. \*SMITH, OWEN. \*TOPLIS, F. S.

Auditors-JOSEPH ALMOND and OWEN SMITH (with Messrs, CURTIS and JENKINS.) Chaplain-Rev. W. J. POLLOCK, M.A.

Honorary Physician . J. E. SHAW, M.D. Honorary Consulting Oculist- A. W. PRICHARD.

Honorary Surgeon Dentist . C. A. HAYMAN, M.D., L.D.S. Medical Officer - JAMES SWAIN, M.D., M.S.

Lady Superintendent-Miss M. G. SMITH.

Musical Director and Tuning Master - E. P. COCKRAM. Resident School Muster -- G. H. RAISON.

Assistant Music Teacher - Miss D. BLINKHORN.

Swedish Drill Instructor - Miss F. DAHL.

Governesses-Miss STEPHENS and Miss HUFF.

Trade Master-CHARLES LUCAS. Superintendent of Saleroom-Miss BUTLER.

> Secretary-ROBERT BLACKMORE. \* House Committee.

BRISTOL, MAY 2nd, 1899.

At the General Annual Meeting of the Bristol Asylum, or School of Industry for the Bliud, held this day at the Asylum, Queen's Road, Cliftou.

The High Sheriff iu the Chair,

The following Resolutious were passed :-

- That the Report and Statement of Accounts now read be adopted, and that the same be printed and distributed under the direction of the Committee.
- 2. That the Right Hon. the Earl of Ducie be re-appointed President, William Henry Harford and Col. Savile, Vice-Presidents, J. C. Aikeu, Treasurer, Joseph Almond and Owen Smith, with Messrs. Curtis, Jeukins & Co., Auditors, and that the following Gentlemen form the Committee for the onsuing year:—

Almond, Joseph.
Baines, Major.
Batten, H. C.
Boyle, Montgomeric.
Butliu, Charles.
Cooper, Philip W. D.
Davidson, Geueral A.
Daunt, General, C.B.
Godwin, J. Colthurst.
Inskip, James.
Lockley, J. H.
Smith, Owen.
Toplis, F. S.

- 3. That the Rev. W. J. Polloek, M.A., bo re-appointed Chaplain.
- 4. That the thanks of this Meeting he presented to J. E. Shaw, Esq., Honorary Physician, A. W. Prichard, Esq., Honorary Consulting Oculist, and Mr. C. A. Hayman, Honorary Surgeon-Dentist, for their valuable services during the past year.

(Signed) CHARLES WILLS, Chairmau.

The Chairman having quitted the Chair, it was taken by Col. Savile, when it was resolved unanimously,

That the best thanks of this Meeting be given to the High-Shoriff for his kindness in presiding.

### REPORT FOR 1898.

INCE their last Annual Report, the following remarks on the School have been made by H.M. Inspector, which the Committee have now pleasure in submitting, together with their Report of the past year, to the friends of the Asylum:—

The proportion of pupils, he states, under 16 years of age, is steadily increasing. The number now exceeds the capacity of the staff, and steps are wisely being taken to strengthen it, and thereby to provide also for better supervision out of school hours. The Teachers have worked hard, and in the ordinary subjects there is a good deal of intelligence and accuracy.

Since the foregoing was written, the new Lady Superintendent (Miss Greenhough Smith)—referred to in the last Report—entered upon her duties, and while the events in the early part of the year were somewhat tinged by causes which made a change necessary, the improved state of order, contentment, and comfort which now appears to exist in the Asylum is a great source of satisfaction to the Managers.

The appointment also of a Resident School Master contributes largely to this result. Mr. G. H. Ruison, of the Blind Institution, Birmingham,

was selected for the important post, a selection which it is hoped secures to this Institution much valuable experience, as well as an influence which the Committee trust may continue to bear good fruit.

To provide the necessary accommodation for this additional resident, two new rooms had to be added to the building, the cost of which makes a considerable item in the accounts.

Of the 50 pupils now below 16 years of age, he has under his special tuition 18 boys, besides the general supervision of the older ones. The School has been completely modernised with new furniture, books, and models for object-lessons. Drilling is a special feature in his methods, for which suitable appliances have been provided.

Thirteen pupils are under the charge of Miss Stephens, Senior Governess, who gives great satisfaction to the Committee, and 19 are under Miss Huff, Kindergarten Instructor, who is also devoted to her duties.

Much good work is being done in the Night School with pupils over the school age of 16, of whom there are 19—12 males, 7 females—under efficient certificated Teachers.

Six children were admitted during the year, and five adults left—one of these has since returned to employment as an out-worker.

There are three in-door pupils in receipt of wages for filling useful positions in the Asylum—one as Organist of the Chapel and two female Assistant Teachers.

Few of the systems tried to enable the blind to contribute to their self-support are better adapted to the great majority of them than the occupations taught in this Asylum, and which have been carried on with more or less success for the past 100 years. The Committee desire to keep up its best traditions, while carefully observing the success of other methods being tried elsewhere, with a view to their introduction whenever feasible.

The Committee point out the need at the present time for more space to extend their work—to enable them to give immediate and constant employment on the premises to pupils who may be qualified, instead of having to send them forth into the world with uncertain prospects before them.

Progress has been made in the Musical Department, under Mr. Cockram, Musical Director. The musical portion of the Chapel Services have been well rendered by the Choir, the organ being played by a blind male pupil.

The quarterly Concerts continue to be most attractive, and the pupils, under Miss D. Blinkhorn, progress favourably.

The general financial result of the year's work has been fairly satisfactory, but as the old Subscribers fall off it is very desirable that others should take their places.

The trade returns have been considerably above the average. Although these yield no nett profit, still all orders are much valued, as they enable the Committee to give constant employment to the pupils and outworkers.

The Committee, in conclusion, again desire to thank all those who have in any way assisted them during the year, and invite all who may feel an interest in it to visit the Asylum and judge for themselves of its claim upon their sympathy and the support of the public.

### CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

So far as I can judge, there has been, during the last year, a very decided improvement in the moral tone and bearing of the pupils of the Blind Asylum.

Their behaviour in my presence has been all I could desire.

WM. J. POLLOCK, CHAPLAIN.

### MUSICAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

I again have pleasure in stating that the progress made by the music pupils is satisfactory.

The Concerts have been very well attended, and the Press notices excellent.

E. PURCELL COCKRAM.

April, 1899.



CHAPEL.



### MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT FOR 1898.

The general condition of the pupils has been most satisfactory.

It has been necessary to transfer a few cases to the Bristol Royal Infirmary for operative procedures.

JAMES SWAIN, M.S., M.D., Lond.

### J. Chebwood Aiken, Esq., Treasurer, in Account with the above

					 		_		-	
Po Delever form	01 4 15	,			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ro Balance from	31st D	ecember	, 1894					157	17	4
l'o Cash received		ler:							- '	
Subscriptions	***				 136	9	0			
Donations	***				 26	14	6			
Dividente ou i	71 2					_		163	3	- 6
Dividends on	Stock	***						1450	1	- 1
Legacies		***						409	17	1
Board of Pupil	s, ac.							1926	()	
Baskets, Mats,	and W	ool Wor	rk					2063	7	
On Chapel Acc	ount ]	Pew Rei	its and (	Collections				54	19	1
THE OF WOOMS								57	15	- (
Grant from Ed	ucation	Depart	ment					219	5	- 5
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25th April, 1899,

R. BLACKMORE, Secretary.

<sup>\*</sup> The expenses of training the Pupils in

By Cash paid as unde	r:				ť	s.	d,	£	s.	d
House Expenses-										
Provisions (includ	ing din	ners to on	tworker	·<}	895	9	6			
Wages				,	310	9	9			
Fuel and Light			***		92	19	11			
Repairs					49	12	Ģ			
Blankets and Dra	pery		**		I	13	8			
Drugs, Soap, &c.					21	17	5			
Sundries					87	18	10			
em					_			1460	1	10
Trade Expenses-										
Materials					543	19	- 3			
Fuel and Light				***	2	()	9			
Carriage on Goods					33	- 6	9			
Wages to Blind O	ut-Wor	kers		19 1						
* ,, Instructor	s and I	'orters	251	4 11						
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Withy Sorters					22	17	4			
Sundries .					32	13	1			
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Chapel Expenses								219	6	5
School Expenses		***						468	15	1
Music Room								11	18	8
General Expenses-										
Gardens					19	1	9			
Salaries					154	10	6			
lusurance					12	13	6			
Rates and Taxes					48	10	8			
Repairs and Alters					117	4	7			
Pensions, Gratuiti	es to Bl	ind, &c.			109	16	8			
Outing					- 8	-8	0			
Printing, Statione		ertisine.		dries	84	4	9			
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Miss Wood's Gift								10	0	€
New Building								206	13	(
By Balance								534	12	5
								£4801	19	7

Audited and found correct,

CURTIS, JENKINS & CO., Chartered Accountants.

s in trade are included under this item.

# THE BRISTOL ASYLUM OR SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY FOR THE BLAND.

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Pristol, 25th April, 1899.

Audited and found correct,

### OUT-DOOR WORKMEN.

### (Former Pupils.)

Date of Admission.			F	Present Age.	Where from
1850 Henry Phillips				63	Bristol
1864 John James		•••		55	Clifton
,, John Richards				56	Bristol
1876 Charles Byles	•••	•••		48	Charlton Marshall
1878 James Sims		***	••	37	Whitehnreh
1879 James Perry	•••	***		39	Bristol
1881 Richard Morris				42	Bristol
,, Thomas Robius	***			49	Bristol
* ,, William Reid	•••			44	London
,, Henry Davis	•••		•••	51	Iron Actor.
* ,, Thomas Perham				38	Bridgwater
1882 Thomas H. Derri	ick			37	Kingsdown
1883 Joseph Robinson	•••	•••		29	London
,, James Nash				35	Aldermaston
1890 E. D. Williams	•••			25	Bristol
	*Not	forme	r P	ipil«.	

### MALE PUPILS.

Date of			Pre	esent	
Admission.			A	ge.	Where from.
1890 E. P. Hamlet				18	Frome Selwood.
1892 Thomas II. Cave				16	Bristol.
,, Albert Jones		***		16	Rytherick.
Gilbert Hugginson				19	Totbury.
1893 F. G. Burgess				20	Horndenn.
1894 Albort Temkins				14	Bristol.
,, Ernest Begbie				12	,,
,, Georgo Ball				16	,,,
,, Artimeus Carr				14	,,
" F. W. Budd				12	37
" Charles Grubb		***		10	,,
,, Edmund Chapman				14	,,
1895 II, Smith				$15\frac{1}{2}$	71
,, H. W. Parsons				$15\frac{1}{2}$	,,
, A. J. Burroughs		***		17	Eastville,
,, C. Penrose				12	Baptist Mills.
,, O.W. Pfaff				14	Weston-super-Mare
,, A. Thompson				91	St. George's, Glos.
" C. T. Wobb				13	South Marston.
,, E. Townsend	• • •			14	Chippenham.
,, J. Smith				14	Reading.
,, Fred. Thomas				8	Bristol,
J. Tizzard				18	Osmington.
1896 W. Randall				13	Reading.
,, J. Millman			***	9	Wotton-under-Edge
" S. Pitman				11	Wells.
, H. Snook				19	Salisbury.
" G. Stepney		***		14	Stapleton,
" B. Davies	• • •	• • •	***	12	Wellington.
,, P. Wilkinson	• • •	***		12	Faversham.
", II. Nowell				16	Chipping Sodbury.
" E. Bodey	***			15	Bath.
,, H. Mills	• • • •	***		17	Westbury, Wilts.
,, F. Bristow	• • •	•••	***	. 9	Bath.
F. Griffiths	••	***		16	Woebley.
1897 E. Bullock	• • •	101	***	16	Dursley.
,, P. Cambridgo ,, R. Terry	•••	• • •		9	Circucester.
IV Trolo	• • • •	***	• • • •	19	Canterbury.
P. Wilmot		• • • •	***	11	Kingswood.
1898 Charles Baverstoc	1.		***	9	Oxford.
Edward Ametic		***	***	13	Whitchnrel
Edman Data	***	**	• • • •	5	Favorsham,
Charley Dings	•••	***	• • • •	8 6	Bristol.
Circles Donaton	• • •	•••	•••	10	Wareham,
,, Curtis Durston	***	***	• • • •	10	Bridgwater.



SALE ROOM AND GIRLS' WORKSHOP



### NAMES OF THE FEMALE PUPILS.

Date of			P	resent	
Admission.				Age.	Where from
1890 E. Griffin				17	Thornbury,
., G. A. Clements				16	Totterdown.
1891 Eliza Stafford				17	Chipping Sodbury.
1892 Ann Humphries				28	Bath (since left).
1894 M. A. Simmonds				20	Chepstow.
" Mary Roper				26	London.
,, S. A. Humphries				11	Bristol.
Grace Chaster				10	
1895 F. Lockyer				13	Swindon,
Nº 3471.000				14	Gloucester.
12 D				10	Bristol,
E Parma				9	Bristol.
7 Since L' Clauton				9	Tortworth.
T Thurban				9	Oxford.
N. Duggggg	• • • •	***		20	Bath.
E Pusahau	***	• • • •	• • •	13	Stroud.
D. Oughand		**	***	14	Bristol.
				12	33114001
A. Wallace			**	9	Barnstaple.
1897 Avis Parsons		***	• • • •	9	Oxford.
" Emily Price		***		12	
., Alico Wilshire					St. George, Glos.
,, Nina Hurley		• •	***	12	Barbadoes.
,, Mabel Colenzo				10	Bedminster.
,, Annie Carter	***		**	7	Thornbury.
1898 Norah K. Oram				12	Melksham.

### PUPILS LEFT OR WRITTEN OFF.

George Woodman				Admitted	
Arthur Ford .			-	39	1891
Frederick White				3.9	1893
Alfred Harris	-	*	-	3.1	1895
Mand Mallett -		*		2.7	1889

### REGULATIONS FOR ADMISSION.

For Forms of Application apply to the Secretary.

QUESTIONS to be minutely answered, and ENGAGEMENT to be signed, by School Authority or Board of Guardians.

- I.—1. What is the name of the applicant? 2. What is the ago? 3. What is the parish or place of legal settlement? 4. What is the present residence? 5. What is the occupation? 6. What is the maintenance?
- II.—1. Has received parochial or other relief, or the family on the applicant's behalf? 2. What amount?
- III.—1. Where do the parents or immediate friends resido?2. What the number of their children?3. What their character?4. What their circumstances?

IV.—Does bear a good character for morality, decency and sobriety?

V.—How long has Parish of been a resident of the

VI.—Has ever wandered about as a beggar or played upon a musical instrument in the streets or alchouses?

VII.—1. In what manner has usually been employed? 2. Has ever attempted to do any kind of work? 3. Had any moral or religious instruction?

VIII.—Is willing to conform to and obey the rules of the Institution?

IX.—Will the School Authority, or Board of Guardians, by whom the applicant is sent to the Institution, engage to pay half-yearly the sum of Nino Pounds, in Bristol, towards support, for seven years, or until such time as the Committee shall consider sufficiently instructed in some trade, or, in the ease of a child from a School Authority, until is sixteen years of age, unless from any cause an earlier removal be deemed advisable, and further engage to receive back (if required), paying the expenses of romoval of whenever shall be discharged or dismissed from the Asylum, and also in case of death to defray the expenses of the funeral?

X.—Is it probable when shall have left the Asylum that parents or friends can provide the necessary materials for future employment? QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY A PHYSICIAN OR SURGEON.

XI.—1. Is the applicant totally blind? 2. If partially, to what extent? 3. Can distinguish light from darkness.

NII.—What is the nature and supposed cause of the blindness?

NIII.—Is possessed of sufficient intellect and bodily strength to receive instruction?

XIV.—1. Has had the small-pox? had the measles? 2. Has had the searlet fever? 4. Has been vaccinated?

XV.—Is free from epileptic or other fits, and from all disorders that may be prejudicial to those already in the Asylum?

Signature.

Qualification.

Residence.

FORM OF ENGAGEMENT FOR SCHOOL BOARDS, BOARDS OF GUARDIANS, AND OTHER PUBLIC BODIES.

We,

the undersigned, do hereby
agree to pay or cause to be paid to the Treasurer of the
Bristol Asylum or School of Industry for the Blind, the sum
of Nine Pounds half-yearly from the day of admission into the
said Asylum of the above-named
for maintenance and education during

continuance in

tor maintenance and education during continuance in the said Institute, to provide for during the usual vacations, to pay all travelling expenses, and in case of sickness, death, deficiency of intellect, or improper conduct to remove from the Institution immediately upon receiving notice to that effect, without requiring repayment of any portion of the instalment which may have been paid for the then current half-year, or in case of our neglect to comply with such notice to pay all costs incurred by the Committee of the Institution attending such removal.

We further undertake to provide the said with elothing (as per list) upon entrance into the Institution, and to pay Three Pounds per annum for future clothing.

Signed

Clerk of School Board Board of Guardians

Date

(or)

### RULES TO BE OBSERVED BY ALL APPLICANTS FOR ADMISSION.

1. That they are required to come decently clothed, and with change of clothes according to the List annexed.

That if the applicant, after admission, is found to be deficient in intellect, afflicted with fits, or with any disorder prejudicial to the Pupils of the Asylum, such person will be Parish or Friends. immediately returned to

3. Persons applying for admission are desired to observe that the object of the Institution is not to provide for the permanent support of those taken under its protection, but to teach them tho means of gaining a livelihood for themselves.

If a male pupil enters before the age of 14, it may be necessary to keep him at the Asylum until he is 21, as trade teaching does not commence until 14, and seven years are required to teach the Blind a trade.

4. No Male applicant under Fivo or above Twenty-one years of age, and no Female under Five or above Twenty-five can be placed ou the list of candidates.

5. The Pupils are usually allowed One Month's Holiday in the Summer, and Two Weeks' Holiday at Christmas; but such Holidays, together with the times of their commencement and termination, are entirely at the option of the Committee.

### LIST OF ARTICLES OF CLOTHING FOR THE PUPILS.

MALES. One Sunday Cloth Suit, with Hat

One Great Coat

One Second Suit for School and Ont-door Walking One Cord Working Suit, with Hat or Cap Four Shirts, six Collars Three Night Shirts Four pairs of Worsted Stockings Three Black Ties Six Pocket Handkerchiefs

Two pairs of Boots, one pair of Slippers Hair and Tooth Brush, and Combs and Bags

Box, not exceeding 30 inches in length, with Lock and Key.

FEMALES. One Cloak, one Hat Four Dresses (not Print) Two Flannel Petticoats Two Upper ditto Four pairs of Drawers Four Chemises Three Night Dresses Six Collars Four pairs of Worsted Stockings One Shawl, one Jacket Six Pocket Handkerchiefs Two pairs of Stays, two pairs of Bools One pair Slippers

Four Aprons or four Pinafores Hair and Tooth Brush, and Combs and Bags Box, not exceeding 30 inches in length, with Lock and Key.

Every Article is to be plain and substantial, and marked with the Pupil's name in ink. No Flowers, Feathers or Frisettes, allowed.

The Pupils in this Asylum are instructed in Reading, Arithmetie, Geography, History, and Music; and in the following arts or trades, viz., Basket Making, Cane Chair Seating, Knitting, Doyley Making, making of Mats aud Worsted Rugs; and the Females in Laundry Work also, or such of these as the Committee shall judge expedient.

Boards of Guardians may subscribe towards the support of Institutions, Associations, &c.

42 and 43 Vic. (1879), cap. 54, sec. 10. Whereas by Section 4 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1851, Guardians are authorised, with such consent as is therein mentioned, to subscribe towards the support and maintenance of any public Hospital or Infirmary as therein mentioned; and it is expedient to extend the said section. Be it therefore enacted as follows:—

The provisions of the said section shall extend to authorise the Guardians, with such consent as is therein mentioned, to subscribe towards any Asylum or Institution for blind persons, or for deaf and dumb persons, or for persons suffering from any permanent or natural infirmity, or towards any Association or Society for aiding such persons, or for providing nurses or for aiding boys and girls in service, or towards any other Asylum or Institution which appears to the Guardians, with such consent as aforesaid, to be calculated to render useful aid in the administration of the relief of the poor.

Provided always that nothing herein contained shall authorise any subscription to any Asylum or Institution unless the Local Government Board be satisfied that the paupers under the Guardians have, or could have, assistance therein in ease of necessity.

P.S.—Special arrangements may also be made with the Committee for the admission of Private cases.



### IAS FURNISHED TO THE

Account of the Annual INCOME and EXPENDITURE on Maintenance of for the Year ended

Showing the amount actually received

	INCOME.			1
To Balance on 31st De	cember, 1897	£ 281	s. 8	d. 10
To Balance on vio. 2	/ i. To grant from Education Department	197	8	0
	For Evening School	21	17	6
1. To Income from Local Rates or moneysprovided by Parliament	ii. To other Grants out of Moneys provided by Parliament	-	-	-
	iii. To Income arising from Local Rates:—  (a) Paid by School Authorities	793	13	8
	(a) Paid by School Administrict  Councils  (c) Paid otherwise	315 117	3 3	4
	163	3	6	
	i. To Voluntary Contributions ii. To Payments by or for Scholars other than payments out of Local Rates (see 1 ii. above)	-	-	-
2. To Income from other sources	Pupils' Boxes 5 5 11 Dividends 1484 4 0 Sliop Sales 1063 7 5			
	Pew Rents and Collections   54   19   10   10   10   10   10   10   10		12	9
To Balance on	189 (if overdrawn)	-	-	
п	COTAL	. 5201	1 10	

We certify that the above Account is correct, and that we have examined the 23rd day of April 1899

### EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.]

the BRISTOL ASYLUM OR SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY FOR THE BLIND 31st December, 1898.

and disbursed during the year.

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### EXPENDITURE. d. 1. By Salaries of Teachers, or Officers engaged in Discipline 1000 1 By Books, Apparatus, and Stationery 9 84 By Printing, Postage, and other Office Charges By Board of 5 Teachers or Officers, 69 Scholars, and 13 Servauts 895 By Washing (if not included under any other head) ... 9 2 By Wages of 29 Servauts not eugaged in Instruction or Discipline 110 1 By Fuel and Light By Medical Attendance for 69 Scholars (i.e., Doctors Druggists' bills only) By Replacement of Furniture and Repairs to Buildings, and Cleaning ... 2 4 By Rent, Rates, Taxes, and Insurance By other Current Expenditure not included above, viz. 4 House 8 Chapel 8 Music Hall Pupils' Clothing Pupils' Boxes ... Purchases, Carriage, &c. 0 Miss Wood's Gift 16 Gratuities to Pupils, and Peusions, &c. Rev. Kemp's Fund 9 Garden Expenses Auditors 4 Collector 9 New Building 7 By Balance on 31st December, 1898 (if in hand) 5201 TOTAL.

(Signed) J. C. CHETWOOD AIKEN, Treasurer 25th April, 1899.

several items in the Account Books from which it is taken with the Vouchers.

(Signed) CURTIS, JENKINS & Co., Auditors, Chartered Accountants.

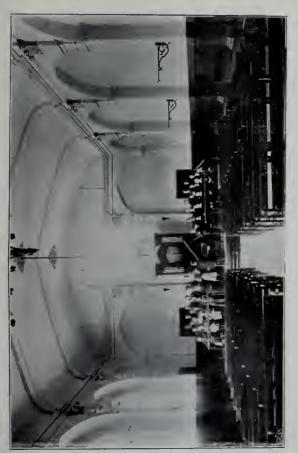
### LEGACIES.-1898.

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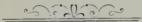
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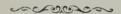
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